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Mayor Jackson's 32nd Annual "Night out Against Crime"

CPD officers to play exhibition baseball game with Cleveland Youth as part of Major League Baseball's "Play Ball" Initiative

CLEVELAND – On Tuesday, August 4, 2015, Cleveland residents are invited to participate in Mayor Jackson's 32nd annual "Night out Against Crime". The "Night out Against Crime" is an opportunity for Clevelanders to come together as ***One Cleveland*** and strengthen their communities. "Night out Against Crime" events will occur in each of the city's four police districts with the main event taking place **at League Park on 6601 Lexington Ave from 5:00 pm – 9:00 pm on August 4.**

Highlighting this year's "Night out against Crime" event will be an exhibition baseball game played at the historic League Park between Cleveland Police Officers and youth from the City of Cleveland's youth baseball league with support from the Cleveland Indians. The exhibition game is being played as a part of the United States Conference of Mayors (USCM) support of Major League Baseball's "Play Ball" initiative. The month of August has been designated as "Play Ball Month" in cities nationwide. US Mayors are implementing the initiative in their respective city with the goal of strengthening bonds between families and communities with baseball through baseball-related activities.

Neighborhood District events will be held from 5:30 pm – 8:30 pm at each of the locations listed below and will feature police and public safety vehicles, free health screenings, refreshments and activities for the entire family!

Additional Neighborhood Event Locations:

- 1st District – Jefferson Park, W. 132nd & Lorain
- 2nd District – Steelyard Commons, I-71/Jennings Freeway
- 3rd District – King Kennedy, E. 64th & Bundy Dr.
- 4th District – Life Skills (Parking lot), 12201 Larchmere Rd.

For more information, call 216-664-3290. The “Night out Against Crime” events are sponsored by Cleveland Public Power (CPP), City of Cleveland Community Relations Board, Cleveland Airport System and Cleveland Water.